



## MONROE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

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**January 7, 2018**

### **SUNDAY - World Missions Day**

- 8:00 am Broadcast over SMILE-FM (88.1)  
Church Service on Public Access Channel
- 9:00 am Bible Study for all ages
- 10:30 am Morning Worship Service
- 2:00 pm Service at the Lutheran Home Nursing Facility
- 5:00 pm Church Council Meeting, Conference Room
- 6:30 pm Evening Worship Service  
Younger Children's Choir (4 year old to 1<sup>st</sup> Grade), Room 101  
**Older Children's Choir (2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> Grade), Room 103 - CANCELLED**  
Youth Discipleship Bible Study (girls room 209, boys room 211)

### **MONDAY**

- 10:30 am Services at Monroe ProMedica Nursing Facility

### **TUESDAY**

- 10:00 am Craft Ladies Ministry, room 200  
*Prayer Meeting & JOY Choir Cancelled for the winter and will resume on February 6<sup>th</sup>*
- 2:00 pm Services at Medilodge Nursing Facility
- 6:30 pm Stephens Ministry Meeting, Room 201

### **WEDNESDAY**

- 6:30 pm Adult Prayer Meeting/Bible Study, Fellowship Hall  
Youth Bible Study, Room 206/208  
College Age Bible Study, Room 211  
Men's Bible Study, Room 210  
Women's Bible Study, Room 201 (Will resume in January)  
GA's (Girls, 1st - 6th Grade), Room 202  
RA's (Boys, 1st - 6th Grade), Room 205  
Mission Friends, Room 101 (2 yrs. to Kindergarten)  
Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
- 8:00 pm Band Rehearsal, Sanctuary  
Church Service on Public Access Channel; also 12 noon Thurs.

### **FRIDAY**

- 12:00 pm JOY Luncheon, Fellowship Hall  
**MMBC Men Leave for Men's Retreat (Camp Selah)**

## WELCOME

Whether you attend every Sunday or if you are visiting today, we sincerely hope you receive a blessing from the services. If you are visiting for the first time, please fill out a "Guest Information Card" located in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. If the church staff can serve you in any way, please contact us .

## Younger Children's Choir

Younger Children's Choir resumes tonight at 6:30 p.m.  
All Children age 4 through 1<sup>st</sup> grade are welcome to attend. Come and join us in worshipping Jesus.



## Today is World Missions Day



All of the non-designated offerings today will be used for World Mission projects. Thank you for your continued commitment to reaching the world with the Gospel!

## Attention Men! Last Day to Sign Up for the Men's Retreat

**Camp Selah - Reading, MI**  
(For Men 18 years old and older!)

Friday & Saturday, January 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>

Cost: \$50.00 per person

Sign up today, near the south welcome center.

## 2018 OFFERING ENVELOPES



2018 Offering Envelopes are ready to be picked up in the hallway, across from Room 105. Please pick up **ONLY** your own. If you do not currently use these numbered and dated envelopes, and would like a set prepared for you, there are forms available at the table for you to fill out.

## ATTENTION OLDER CHILDREN'S CHOIR PARENTS

The Older Children's Choir (2<sup>nd</sup> Grade through 6<sup>th</sup> Grade) has been cancelled for **TONIGHT (January 7<sup>th</sup>)**. Please watch the bulletin for more information.

## NURSERY WORKERS

### TODAY

Cribs- Amanda Iocoangeli, Mary Louise Allen  
Toddlers- Michelle Thompson, Nichole Stansbury  
2-3 Yrs.- Tricia DeYarman, Banae Stone, Jeanne Finley  
6:30 p.m.- Teresa Thomas

### JANUARY 14, 2018

Cribs- Debbie Kansier, Latasha Leger  
Toddlers- Jade Hawkins  
2-3 Yrs.- Ryan & Lauren Lundquist  
Scott & Ashley Ely  
6:30 p.m.- Carmen Kiersey, Kim McQuestion

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS

4-5 YRS-  
6-7 YRS- Claire Goins/Bea Guich

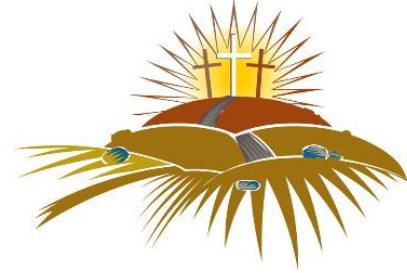
4-5 YRS- Amber Evans  
6-7 YRS- Josh Sweigert/Mandy Thomas

## COMING EVENTS

Jan. 14 - Services at Magnum Care Nursing Facility, 2:00 p.m.  
Ministry Praise & Report Service, 6:30 p.m.  
Jan. 17 - Services at Alice Lorraine Nursing Facility, 2:00 p.m.  
Jan. 21 - Services at Fountain View Nursing Facility, 2:00 p.m.  
Lord's Supper Service, 6:30 p.m.  
Jan. 25 - WOM Group 12 Meeting, 10:00 a.m., Fireside Room  
Jan. 26 - SIS Widow's Ministry Game/Movie Night, Fellowship Hall  
Jan. 27 - Nursery Workers Holiday Party, 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall  
Jan. 28 - Deacon's Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Conference Room

# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITY!

## Easter Drama Presentation:



## "The Resurrection and the Life"

March 23<sup>rd</sup> & March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018

The Drama Ministry Team is looking for willing participants for our 2018 Easter Program. *Men are especially needed.* No experience is necessary. **Those who have been in past programs are also needed.** New faces are encouraged to join in this exciting opportunity to portray the Easter story to our church family and community.

There will be an informational meeting in the sanctuary  
**January 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:25 p.m.**

If you are interested in participating in this presentation, **please complete this form** and drop it in the offering plate or give it to Randy Thomas or Matt Bates.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

(I will use email if I need to communicate with you. If you have no email, I will contact you personally or by phone.)

# WE NEED YOU!



## Marriage Retreat Weekend

"The Art of Marriage: Getting to the Heart of God's Design"

February 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup>

### Event Location

Holiday Inn , 3600 Plymouth Road,  
Ann Arbor, MI (734) 769-9800

### Registration & Cost

\$100.00 per couple (room costs)

Couples must register and pay at the church!!

Deadline to register is Sunday, January 28th!

**LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE!**

### Schedule/Details

#### Friday, February 9

- ▶ Check in at Hotel - any time after 3:00 p.m.
- ▶ Dinner (on your own) - there are many restaurants close to the hotel.
- ▶ Conference Begins - 8:00 p.m. in the Hotel Meeting Room
- ▶ Dismissal & Afterglow - 10:00 p.m.

#### Saturday, February 10

- ▶ Breakfast (on your own)
- ▶ Conference Begins - 9:30 a.m. in Hotel Meeting Room
- ▶ Break & Check-out - 10:30 a.m.
- ▶ Conference Resumes - 11:00 a.m. in Hotel Meeting Room
- ▶ Dismissal - 12:00 noon

Registration begins Sunday, January 14th!

To register please take this form with your payment to the registration table, which is located at both Welcome Centers.

Couple's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES

# A Woman Overwhelmed

A Bible Study on the Life of Mary, the  
Mother of Jesus

By Hayley DiMarco



Exchange your overwhelming life for God's overwhelming love! Let His goodness and mercy overcome you. *A Woman Overwhelmed* is a six-week Bible study of the story of Mary, the mother of Jesus. Explore her life as she receives the news that she will give birth to the Son of God to her witness of His tragic death on the cross. As you learn to let go of your to-do lists and place more trust in God, you'll recognize that God is always working through your circumstances.

<b>When:</b>	<b>Sundays beginning January 21st</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Where:</b>	<b>Room #201 (Education Bld.)</b>
<b>Facilitator:</b>	<b>Sue Thomas</b>
<b>Cost:</b>	<b>\$14.00 for materials</b>

OR

<b>When:</b>	<b>Wednesdays beginning January 24th</b>
<b>Time:</b>	<b>6:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m.</b>
<b>Where:</b>	<b>Room #201 (Education Bld.)</b>
<b>Facilitator:</b>	<b>Sue Thomas</b>
<b>Cost:</b>	<b>\$14.00 for materials</b>

**Sign up sheets are at the Welcome Centers!**